

## ALLIES TO PROTECT SEA WITH 4,000 SUBMARINE CHASERS

IN PREPARATION FOR SUCH  
AN EMERGENCY MANY SMALL  
CRUISERS WERE MADE READY

Entente Shipping Not to Be  
Interrupted, Is the  
Statement.

## ADMINISTRATION TO ACT

Conference Between President and  
Secretary Lansing Results in De-  
termining Steps to Protect American In-  
terests; Germany to Fight to End.

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The effect of  
Germany's declaration of a sea  
blockade of the Entente nations to be  
enforced "with every available  
weapon and without further notice,"  
was felt today in every port on the  
Atlantic coast.

Owners and crews of vessels flying  
neutral flags were in doubt as to  
their future course of action and it is  
believed that most of them will keep  
their ships in port until instructions  
are received from their governments.  
In the offices of the British, and  
French flags, it was said there would  
be no interruption in the sailing from  
American ports of ships carrying the  
flags of the Entente allies. To meet  
just such an emergency as this the  
British government has assembled, it  
was said, a large fleet of small fast  
cruisers to be used as "submarine  
chasers."

These vessels, said to number  
4,000, will be available to keep the  
sea lanes clear of raiders and sub-  
marines and act as convoys.

## "WE STARE EVERYTHING"

## SAYS GERMAN CHANCELLOR

BERLIN, Feb. 1.—Chancellor von  
Bethmann-Hollweg and other min-  
isters attended an important meeting  
of the Reichstag today, at which the  
entire war situation was gone over and  
new steps planned by the Central  
Powers were considered.

The chancellor opened the sitting  
with a speech of which the keynote  
words were:

"We have been challenged to fight  
to the end and we accept the chal-  
lenge. We stake everything and we  
shall be victorious."

## ADMINISTRATION KEEPS

## ITS 'COINCE' A SECRET

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—After an  
hour's conference between President  
Wilson and Secretary Lansing, it be-  
came known today that the German  
situation is viewed with extreme  
gravity and the American government  
had already begun to formulate  
definite steps.

It was regarded as not impossible  
that action of some kind had already  
been taken but there was no indica-  
tion of its nature.

There also was indication that  
no announcement of the course of the  
government would be made until con-  
sultations had been taken through  
the Navy Department and the treasury  
for safeguarding American ports  
and other interests.

Possibilities for Count von Bernstorff,  
orders for recall of Ambassador Ger-  
ard, solemn warnings to Berlin that  
breach of her pledges means severance  
of diplomatic relations, or tense wait-  
ing for an overt act which would  
sweep aside diplomacy and bring the  
American government to the point of  
action are among the contingencies  
which fill the situation today.

President Wilson conferred with  
Colonel E. M. House, friend and ad-  
viser who was hurriedly summoned  
from New York City. Early today he  
had not called any meeting of the  
Cabinet for any conference with the  
foreign affairs committee of Congress  
who have been assured of being taken  
into the President's confidence before  
diplomatic relations are broken off.

An evidence of the efforts of the  
embassy here to keep relations tranquil  
is found in a comparison of the note  
handed yesterday to Secretary Lansing  
by Count von Bernstorff with the one  
handed by the Berlin foreign office to  
Ambassador Gerard. The note pub-  
lished in Berlin announces in bold  
terms the determination of Germany to  
wield every weapon at her com-  
mand without quarter while the note  
presented to the American State De-  
partment says the same thing in softer  
language.

"The German embassy for months has  
been building up an atmosphere of  
hopefulness and at one time it was said  
that von Tirpitz who originated the  
campaign of ruthlessness actually had  
been forced from his high position by  
influence brought to bear by the German  
ambassador here in an effort to  
preserve good relations with the  
United States. Now it is frankly dis-  
closed that von Tirpitz was deposed  
because he did not carry his campaign  
of ruthlessness far enough; that he  
was unprepared with an insufficient  
number of submarines to make this  
force effective."

Now the officials who speak for  
Germany in this country unhesitatingly  
announce the plan to starve out  
England with a fleet of submarines

which they estimate at between 300  
and 500 and they think they can cut  
off the food supply of the British Isles  
completely within 60 days.

American officials are not convinced  
that Germany's announcement of a  
campaign of ruthlessness reveals the  
entire situation, neither is there any  
assurance that the new warfare will  
be confined to changes on the seas.

The new crisis, however, brings  
new dangers to the very shores of  
the United States where a score or  
more of German and Austrian ships  
have been laid up since the beginning  
of the war and where several German  
commerce raiders are interned.

Reports of ships being armed  
secretly for a dash to sea and of plots  
to sink them at their wharves or to  
block American harbors by destroying  
them in the channels have been under  
investigation for many months.

## MARKETS BREAK UNDER

## GREAT RUSH TO SELL

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Opening  
prices in the stock market today  
showed big losses. They ranged from  
14 to 15 points. United States Steel  
common opened with a sale of a block  
of 35,000 shares at \$105 to \$100, repre-  
senting a loss of 7 to 12 points.  
Later United States Steel for the first  
time in many months dropped below  
par.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—The wheat  
market, profoundly shocked by the  
German note, today showed opening  
declines of from 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cents.  
May sold at 180, according to the  
first figures posted, and July at 183.

## SCANDINAVIAN LINE

## POSTPONES ITS SAILING

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Announcement  
was made here this morning by a re-  
presentative of the Scandinavian-Amer-  
ican line that the sailing of the pas-  
senger liner Helligöla, booked to leave  
at 2 P. M. today with 300 passengers  
and cargo for Copenhagen via Kirk-  
wall, had been indefinitely postponed.

## NEW YORK HARBOR IS

## CLOSED FOR THE NIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—After being  
sealed all night by a cordon of destroy-  
ers and coast guard patrol boats, the  
port of New York today opened by  
the customs authorities to all in-  
coming and outgoing shipping. The  
stand taken by the collector of the  
port was that ships could sail at their  
own risk. They were permitted to  
clear as usual.

The order by Collector of the Port  
Mabine closing New York harbor to  
both incoming and outgoing vessels  
was lifted at daybreak. It was under-  
stood the order was intended only to  
prevent the possible departure of  
German liners, self interned here,  
without clearance papers, a precaution  
which would be observed every night  
for the present, it was said.

Meanwhile, the neutrality squad of  
the New York customs office has been  
increased. German and Austrian  
ships valued at approximately \$50,000,  
600 tied up in New York, are being  
carefully watched. So far no unusual  
activity has been reported from the  
docks.

## GERMAN SHIP MYSTERIOUSLY

## SINKS IN CHARLESTON HARBOR

CHARLESTON, Feb. 1.—The Ger-  
man freighter, Liebenfels, of the  
Hansa line, had up since the begin-  
ning of the war been sinking slowly  
at 9 o'clock this morning and marine  
men believe she has been scuttled.  
This belief seemed borne out by the  
fact that the captain declined the aid  
of tugs.

In an hour the vessel's bow was  
high in water and the stern was grad-  
ually settling but Captain Kluttschoff  
with five or six officers still were  
aboard. The crew of Liebenfels were  
scuttled their homes soon after the  
vessel tied up here at the outbreak  
of the war.

The steamer, which is of 3,350 tons  
gross, is anchored in between 40 and  
60 feet of water about half a mile  
from the water front.

The Liebenfels stopped sinking.  
The stern still then was only a few  
feet from the water and the bow keel  
was almost visible. No explanation  
was given to Captain Lockwood of the  
tug Cecilia when the officers told him  
his help was not wanted.

Even if this ship does not settle any  
more, marine men believe she is in  
such condition that she could not be  
made seaworthy for some time.

## NAVY BLOCKADE TO

## BEGIN AT 6 TONIGHT

PARIS, Feb. 1.—The notification  
that Germany and Austria would tor-  
pedo neutral merchant vessels with-  
out warning beginning at 6 o'clock,  
(No specific time was mentioned in  
the German note to the United States)  
except in late editions of the morning  
papers.

The announcement caused a sensa-  
tion

SOISSON LOT ONLY  
WORTH \$3,000, ONE  
WITNESS DECLARES

Defense Witnesses Value Prop-  
erty Far Lower Than Those  
for Plaintiff.

## CASE IS STILL ON TRIAL

Jury is to Decide Price to be Paid  
for Property, on Fairview Avenue,  
Condemned by School District as  
Part of the High School Site.

Special to The Courier.  
UNIONTOWN, Feb. 1.—Values  
widely at variance with those placed  
by witnesses for the plaintiff in the  
appeal of W. H. Soisson and wife  
of Connellsville from the award of  
viewers on their lot on East Fair-  
view avenue, condemned by school  
board as part of the new high school  
site. Whereas Mr. Soisson estimated  
the value of his lot at \$10,000 and wit-  
nesses called by him in court yester-  
day placed values on it ranging from  
\$7,500 to \$10,500, witnesses for the  
defense put its value as low as \$3,000.

Worth Kilpatrick, president of the  
Second National bank of Connellsville,  
testified that the property had a  
market value of from \$3,000 to \$5,000  
on last May 8 when condemned by the  
school district.

J. A. Armstrong, whose property  
adjoining that of Mr. Soisson's was  
sold to the school board for \$11,000,  
testified that the market value of the  
lot was \$4,500.

The defense continued its case  
when court opened this morning. J.  
Donnan Foster was on the stand for  
the defense when court adjourned.

The testimony of the defendant was  
completed this morning and the case  
will be given to the jury this after-  
noon.

All the witnesses heard stated that  
there had been no increase in the  
value of property in Connellsville  
within the last few years, and that  
recently, in fact, there had been a de-  
crease. It was brought out that Mr.  
Soisson, when asked to sell his prop-  
erty by the board, told them that he  
did not wish to sell; that he had  
bought the place for residential pur-  
poses; and that he had paid more for  
it than it was worth.

Witnesses for the board who were  
on the stand today were: J. S. Bry-  
ner, F. B. Maxwell, Robert Norris, Dan  
Mills, Robert Thomas, J. R. Davidson,  
president of the school board, and R.  
K. Long, school director.

## ANKENY COAL SOLD

Red E. Retained By Jones Ankensy,  
Brings Good Price.

SPECIAL TO THE COURIER.  
SOMERSET, Feb. 1.—Among the  
transfers of real estate in the county  
recently was the sale of a 150-acre  
farm in Jennings township by Isaac H.  
Ankensy to Joseph S. Pollins of Green-  
burg, for \$20,000. The grantor is the  
executor of the estate of the late Jonas  
L. Ankensy. Included in the sale is the  
seam of coal known as Red E, which  
underlies the farm.

The sale of the Ankensy farm recalls  
early days in the mineral development  
of Somerset county, when coal in the  
Jennings field sold cheap. At that time  
conveyances of land were based on the  
C prime vein, which made Boswell and  
Jerome famous. Years later up-go-  
legically were not considered worth  
while reserving. But several farmers  
with vision reserved Red E, known as  
the "upper vein." Among these was  
Jonas Ankensy. And it is the mineral  
he reserved that his heirs have now  
sold for a tidy fortune, considerably  
more than the original owner was paid  
for the more valuable deposits under  
his farm.

## SNOW FOLLOWS LIGHTNING.

Last Night's Midsummer Storm Suc-  
ceeded by Beginning of Cold Wave.

A midsummer thunder storm visited  
the region last night, but it was fol-  
lowed by real winter weather today  
when snow fell. The weather man's  
severe cold wave was slightly delayed,  
but it seemed to have arrived shortly  
before noon, and the temperature was  
dropping all afternoon.

Tomorrow is a grounding day and  
those who believe in the tradition of  
"six more weeks of winter" is he sees  
his shadow" are hoping for a dark  
day.

## Undergoes Operation.

Charles Miller, 16 year old son of  
Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, of Dun-  
bar, underwent an operation for an  
injury suffered while jumping about  
three months ago.

## Confined to Home.

Mrs. Thomas Giesig is still confined  
to her bed at the home of her daughter,  
Mrs. James Youm of the West Side,  
with a serious illness.

## Called to Baltimore.

Mrs. John Youm of the West Side  
has been called to Baltimore, Md., on  
account of the serious illness of her  
grandson, John D. Riffe.

## PATTERSON'S PIGS

## EASILY SOLD BY

## COURIER SALE AD

About a month ago, Smith  
Patterson of Dunbar township,  
placed a little ad in The Cour-  
ier's classified column, offering  
60 young pigs for sale. Despite  
the fact that his farm is some  
distance outside the city, the  
pigs were sold in an amazingly  
short space of time. Prospective  
purchasers are still inquiring  
about them.

"I could have sold 109 if I had  
them," said Mr. Patterson. "I  
never saw anything like the re-  
sults I got from that ad."

## WEST PENN LINES

## MAY BE EXTENDED

## TO WEST NEWTON

Proposed New Connection is Up  
to the Board of Directors  
of System.

## LABOR IS VERY SCARCE

This Fact May Delay Construction of  
Line to Tap Populous New Territory  
But Matter is Being Seriously Con-  
sidered; Decision May Come Soon.

That the West Penn is considering  
an extension of its trolley lines to  
West Newton and other Young river  
towns, connecting with its present  
lines at Hunker or at Greensburg,  
was the information of an official at  
the Connellsville office today. The  
matter is up to the board of directors  
and their decision may come soon. It  
is stated.

The Scottsdale mill, although the  
main one of the company, will not fill  
the order, it being consigned to the  
other plants located throughout  
the south.

The order has been placed with the  
Southern plants on account of the lower  
cost of raw material, and a better  
labor conditions. The cost of shipping  
is not so great from those points as  
the distance is less.

Although the heavy work will not be  
done at the Scottsdale plant the pat-  
terns for the pipe are being made  
there. These will then be sent to the  
south.

The Scottsdale plant, which is the  
largest one of its kind in the world,  
is running to capacity at the present  
time and on account of the great de-  
mand for iron products, will not likely  
have to curtail work in any of its de-  
partments for some time to come.

The cast iron works has three plants  
in Scottsdale, known as plants A, B,  
and C. The last named is the newest  
addition and every piece of machin-  
ery in it is of the most modern type.  
In this plant pipes in from four to 32  
inch sizes are made. Four cupolas can  
turn out 700 tons of iron a day.

All machinery in the shop is run by  
electricity, and the molds, mounted  
on revolving tables, are moved slowly  
over the dies to dry out. A mold was  
formerly allowed to stand over night  
in a bake oven to dry, but by the new  
process much time is gained. Electric-  
ity is also used for tamping in the  
plant, but in plant B where pipes from  
12 to 72 inches are made, tamping is still  
done by hand.

The pig iron furnace, which has  
been out since December 24, is being  
relined and men are working night  
and day to get it completed. It is ex-  
pected that all records will be broken  
and that the furnace will be blown in  
on February 15.

The furnace when blown in again  
will have a capacity of 500 tons a day,  
instead of 300. Five boilers with a  
capacity of 110 pounds of steam each,  
supply steam for the furnace. Only  
two of the boilers are in use while the  
furnace is out. The boilers are fired  
by ethyl gas or coal. When the fur-  
nace is running, gas is the fuel, but  
coal is being used at present.

A bonus of five per cent of the year-  
ly wages is paid employees of the com-  
bined plants, who number 700.  
These bonuses are paid every three  
months, 1 1/2 per cent each quarter.

## SALE CONSUMMATED

Cash Payments Made for the Tuit-  
Work Coal Field in Greene Co.

The sale of the Tuit-Work tract of  
500 acres of coal in Greene county,  
Cambria township, Greengrove estate,  
at an average price of \$700 per acre  
was consummated in Pittsburgh yester-  
day by Attorney W. J. Johnson,  
one of the trustees in bankruptcy of  
Judge J. C. Work. A certified check  
for \$353,000.35, being Judge Work's  
portion of the proceeds of the sale,  
was delivered.

Other parties interested in the  
tract, and for which checks have been  
certified and passed are D. J. Rull,  
Mrs. Thomas Coffin, J. R. Craig, T. R.  
Caddis, J. M. Byson and the J. C.  
McComick estate. The sale which is a  
cash transaction is one of the first  
results of the \$7,000,000 sale of the  
Thompson coal lands to the H. C.  
Pitts Coal Company.

The purchasers of the tract are  
William McCook and Emil Vintz, both  
of Pittsburgh. The total purchase price  
was approximately \$750,000.

## TOWNEY IS HELD.

Local Youth's Release May be Sought  
on Habeas Corpus Writ.

Ray Towner of Connellsville was  
held for court on a charge of embe-  
zlement of \$676 from the Adams Ex-  
press Company at Dunbar on Decem-  
ber 6, after a hearing before Alderman  
J. C. Rishinger at Uniontown this af-  
ternoon.

Attorney John Duggan represented  
the defendant and it was indicated  
that Towner's release would be sought  
on a writ of habeas corpus later in  
the afternoon.

## Weather Forecast

Cloudy and decidedly colder to-  
night and Friday, with a severe cold  
wave; snow flurries tonight and  
northwest gales diminishing Friday;  
is the pennsylvania forecast for West-  
ern Pennsylvania.

## Temperature Record

1917 1916

Maximum 65 70

Minimum 32 33

Mean 52 57

The Young river rose from 4.90 to  
5.10 feet during the night

SCOTSDALE MILL  
GETS BIG ORDER  
FROM ARGENTINA

Material Aggregating \$3,500,000  
Ordered by South Ameri-  
can Republic.

## WORKING ON PATTERNS

Pipe Here Will be Manufactured by  
Southern Mills of the United States  
Cast Iron & Foundry Company;  
Scottsdale Plant Running at Capacity.

An order for iron pipe aggregating  
\$3,500,000 has been received by the  
United States Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry  
Company of Scottsdale, from Ar-  
gentine Republic, South America. The  
order is for time delivery and does not  
cost of raw material, and better  
labor conditions. The cost of shipping  
is not so great from those points as  
the distance is less.

Although the heavy work will not be  
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WEST PENN WINS  
BIG DAMAGE SUIT

Jury Finds For Defendant in Case in  
Which Woman Claimed  
\$20,000.

The suit of Mrs. Anna S. Jones and  
John J. Jones, her husband, against  
the West Penn to recover \$20,000  
damages for injuries Mrs. Jones claim-  
ed she suffered on board a street car  
on September 7, 1914, was decided in  
favor of the defendant by a jury in  
criminal court at Uniontown yester-  
day.

Mrs. Jones claimed that she boarded  
a summer car at Iron Bridge, near  
Scottsdale, on September 7, 1913, and  
that shortly afterward she suffered a  
severe electrical shock, which, she  
claimed caused permanent injury and  
nervousness. It was brought out by  
the defense, however, that the plain-  
tiff had been treated for other ail-  
ments for more than a year prior to  
the alleged accident.

Mr. Jones testified that for several  
days immediately following the al-  
leged injury he was unable to go to  
work, being compelled to remain at  
home with his wife, and said that  
every time a fire alarm was turned in  
he was compelled to go to his wife  
and remain the rest of the day on  
account of her nervousness. Mr.  
Jones' time book, which he admitted  
was kept by himself, was produced  
by the defendant and offered in evi-  
dence. The book showed that he had  
worked nine hours a day on the  
several days following the alleged in-  
jury.

Emery Smith, conductor on the  
street car, testified that there was no  
flash of lightning on September 7,  
1913, while his car was going between  
Mount Pleasant and Scottsdale. A re-  
port sheet, which he identified as hav-  
ing been written by him was intro-  
duced, showing that he reported a  
blinding flash of lightning shortly after  
the car left Iron Bridge.

## ADVERTISING PAYS

Newspapers Widely Read, R. M.  
Cuthbertson Finds.

The value of newspaper advertis-  
ing has been proven quite clearly by  
the fact carried out for the past  
month by R. M. Cuthbertson of the  
E. Dunn store. Mr. Cuthbertson put  
into practice a drawing plan, never  
tried by a local store before, by  
which five prizes of one dollar each  
in merchandise were awarded each  
day of January. The checks of the  
day's purchases were collected each  
evening, and one of the clerks drew  
five names from the lot. The next  
day the names of those entitled to the  
dollar's worth of merchandise were  
published in the papers, and they  
were asked to call at the store and  
receive their award.

When the contest closed yesterday  
it was found that almost all of those  
whose names were printed had called  
and chosen their merchandise, thus  
showing, Mr. Cuthbertson feels sure,  
that newspaper advertising is read.  
Prize winners living as far west as  
Akron and as far east as Cumber-  
land received awards.

## IN THE MOVIES

Howard Reppert An Extra in Barry-  
more Feature.



# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The West Side Needleworkers will be entertained this evening by Mrs. J. H. Folts at her home at Dunbar.

An all-day meeting of the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the First Baptist Church was held yesterday in the church.

The marriage of Miss Alma Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rosebush of Grinstead, and Thomas H. Rule also of Grinstead, took place this morning at 11 o'clock at the home of the bride, Rev. George Dietz, pastor of St. John's German Lutheran Church of this city officiated. Miss Anna Lawrence of Rochester, Pa., was maid of honor and Michael Lawrence of Dunbar served as best man.

Miss Elmo Lee Roberts of Morgantown, W. Va., and Roswell S. Reid of Youngstown, O., a son of R. B. Reid of this city, were married yesterday morning at Morgantown. The bridegroom is a nephew of Colonel J. M. Reid of West Peach street. Mr. and Mrs. Reid will reside in Youngstown.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Reformed Church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. John Jolly in Washington avenue.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening in the chapel of the church at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

The J. O. C. Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its annual class banquet at the Macedonia hall on February 13. The regular monthly meeting of the class will be held the second Friday in February at the home of Mrs. Harry Dorsey. Final arrangements for the banquet will be made at this meeting.

Miss Freda Wright will entertain the H. B. Girls Club of Vanderbilt this evening at her home at Vanderbilt.

A number of Connellsville persons expect to attend a big Irish relief fund fair and bazaar to be held in Pittsburgh the week of February 3 to 10, inclusive. The entire machinery building at the Pittsburgh exposition is being transformed into a big indoor bazaar and vaudeville to the Irish fair and included in the week of fair and bazaar many attractions. The proceeds of the fair and bazaar will be sent to the sufferers in Ireland through the National committee in New York.

The Woman's Culture Club will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Cochran in South Pittsburgh street. A program on "Monopolies and Trusts" will be carried out.

Mrs. Henry Rhodes will entertain the Greenwood Family Club Tuesday afternoon at her home in Morrell avenue, Greenwood. The meeting will be in the nature of a covered dish luncheon.

A large and interesting meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church was held yesterday afternoon in the church. Mrs. W. R. Kenney was program leader and interesting readings were given by Mrs. W. A. Edie, Mrs. R. C. Deebower, Mrs. J. M. Cecil, Mrs. Julia Ward, and Mrs. Kenney. Refreshments were served at the close of the program.

About fifteen members of the G. I. A. Family Club attended an enjoyable meeting of the club held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Marsh in South Pittsburgh street. The ladies worked on a quilt which when completed will be sold for the benefit of the G. I. A. Auxiliary. Refreshments were served.

The Daughters of America will hold a meeting this evening at 7:30 in the Macedonia hall on South Pittsburgh street.

Mrs. R. S. McKee will entertain the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club tomorrow afternoon at her home in Ninth street, Greenwood.

Charming appointments in keeping with St. Valentine's Day prevailed at a delightful bridge party given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. John M. Young at her home in East Green street. Five tables were utilized and dainty prizes were awarded Mrs. Wil-

liam L. Bauser, Mrs. Frank Conway and Miss Elizabeth Anderson. Luncheon was served at the close of the games. Misses Mabie and Lillian Perry of Gettysburg were out of town guests. Mr. and Mrs. Young will entertain about twenty-five of their friends at a six o'clock dinner this evening.

Mrs. S. M. Levy entertained the Macedonia Sewing Club last evening at her home on West Green street. The affair took the form of a luncheon for Miss Anna Newberg, who is soon to be a bride. A luncheon was served, covers being laid for 12 guests. The prevailing colors were green and white, the centerpiece and the other decorations being particularly handsome. The amusements were games and dancing.

**PERSONAL**  
Solomon Theatre today—"Liberty," No. 11. "Is Marriage Sacred?" "His Little Room Mate," with Carter De Haven. Also two other pictures.—Adv.

Miss Ellen Heron of Uniontown, returned home yesterday morning after visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Tipping on the West Side.

"In Time of Peace Prepare for War." See "Eagle's Wings," at the Solomon tomorrow. Adults 15c; children 10c.—Adv.

Ralph Courain of Scottsdale, was visiting friends here Tuesday evening.

Don't stop me, I'm on my way to the Exposition at the Armory.—Adv.—14.

John Graham of Graham's Crossing, is recovering from an attack of neuritis.

"Not the largest store in town, but growing the fastest." Why? Service, style, satisfaction. Brownell's Shoe Company.—Adv.

Mrs. Joseph Solson, who has been ill for the past few weeks at her home in West Main street, is getting along nicely.

"Eagle's Wings," a gripping drama of love and intrigue at Solomon Theatre tomorrow.—Adv.

Mrs. G. B. Graham of Graham's Crossing, was at Dunbar yesterday visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. P. F. Connell who is ill.

There will be a dance on Saturday, February 3, in the Slavish Hall, West Side. All are invited to attend.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Melvin Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Karl K. Kramer, Mrs. E. C. Hilguth, Mrs. E. C. Moore, Mrs. J. W. Goldsmith and Mrs. A. D. Solson were "Experiencing" yesterday afternoon at the Nixon Theatre, Pittsburgh.

Meet me at the Exposition, February 6th to 10th.—Adv.—14.

Miss Fern Gantler visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lips in Scottsdale last evening.

Downs shoe store will start a sale on a lot of men's and women's \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00 shoes, Thursday morning, February 1st, at 2.00. Sale will be for one week only.—Adv.—31-2.

Miss Anna Connell, a student at St. Xavier's academy at Dunbar, was called to her home at Dunbar by the illness of her mother, Mrs. P. J. Connell.

"Burning of Frank & Sader," shown at Orpheum Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

Miss Lynne D. Kinell, society editor of The Courier, and her sister, Miss Mayme Kinell, are shopping in Pittsburgh today.

Sure I'm going to the Exposition, everybody will be there.—Adv.—14.

Miss Daisy Ash is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Inspiring patriotic emotion shown in "Eagle's Wings" at the Solomon Theatre tomorrow.—Adv.

Mrs. L. C. Neid who has been visiting her sisters, Misses Margaret and Veronica Callaghan of South Prospect street since before Christmas, left last night for New York City to resume her vocal studies.

See Thea Bara in "The Darling of Paris" at the Orpheum Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

Miss Hilda Smith of Sycamore street and Mrs. C. R. Burns of Somerset, left last evening for a ten days' trip to Chicago.

Destruction of Grand Theatre, Pittsburgh, shown at Orpheum Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

\$2.00 with the sale price on a lot of men's and women's \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00 shoes at Downs Shoe store, beginning Thursday morning, February 1st, and continue one week.—Adv.—31-2.

Even grandpa will be at the Exposition.—Adv.—14.

Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran and Miss Marie Moore of St. James Park, Dawson, and Mrs. P. C. Moore of Pittsburgh, will leave on Saturday for Daytona Beach, Florida, where the former has taken a cottage for the balance of the winter.

War and peace in gripping scenes of "Eagle's Wings" at Solomon tomorrow.—Adv.

Great Fire in Pittsburgh, shown at Orpheum Friday and Saturday.—Adv.

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Matzmann Restaura.  
C. A. McCormick of Uniontown, a well known West Penn motorman, has resigned to take a position with W. J. Hainey.

Scottsdale Defeated.  
Wilmerding defeated Scottsdale in an inter-county league basketball game at Wilmerding last night, 27 to 13.

Dining Room Reopened.  
The dining room of the St. James Hotel will be open on Sunday, February 4th. Meals 35c.—Adv.—1-3c.

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## WORK IS BEGUN ON EXPO BOOTHS

Merchants Plan For Big Show at Armory, Which Opens Monday Night.

Work was started this morning at the armory in preparation for the industrial exposition to be held there next week under the auspices of the Business & Professional Men's Council Association. Carpenters have already practically completed the framework of the booths and are doing special work for the exhibitors. The decorating will begin this afternoon or evening.

The armory has been secured two days earlier than last year and it is expected that the increase of time given to the decoration of the booths will mean much more attractive exposition. Many exhibitors have signified that they are going out for the \$10 prize for the best decorated stand in the building.

Another change from last year's arrangement, it has been announced, will be the absence of booths in the center of the armory. Only automobiles will be shown in this space.

There will be no supplementary school exhibit as there was last year. Because of the cramped condition of the schools, it seems, the children have not given as much time to this work as formerly. The committee gave up hope of securing an exhibit when a C. O. Stoen, mechanical training instructor, was called away.

Because of the crowded conditions in the schools and the somewhat confused schedule, it will not be possible to have the school children attend in a body, either, as in last year's show. Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, however, the exhibition will be open to the children. They may then attend without paying admission.

## ARRESTED HERE ON OLD CHARGE

Colored Man Nabbed for Shooting in Elliptical City, Md., in December 1915.

Eljah Boone, alias Will Boone, 23 years old, and colored, wanted in Elliptical City, Maryland, on the charge of assault with intent to kill, was arrested by the police here last night.

Boone, it is alleged, shot a white man in the leg, necessitating amputation, more than a year ago, the shooting having taken place on December 24, 1915. Boone denies that he is the man wanted, but he answers the description mailed here perfectly.

Chief of Police B. Rottler has been working on the case for some time, since a communication from the sheriff of Howard county informed him that Boone's wife had written a letter upon paper bearing the letterhead of a local hotel. Chief Rottler finally discovered that Boone's father worked in another hotel here, and the police have been waiting for the younger man to visit him.

Yesterday Detective J. W. Mitchell got a clue that Boone was coming here. With Lieutenant Bower and Patrolman Turner he arrested Boone, knowing him by the description which had been sent here. A charge of being a fugitive from justice will be preferred against the man, and the sheriff of Howard county will be notified to get extradition papers.

According to the police, Boone's father appeared in the police station this morning and remarked that the man whom his son had shot was a worthless rascal, anyhow. Boone himself, however, denies that he shot anyone.

## IS 79 YEARS YOUNG

Veterans Help Captain Lloyd Johnston Celebrate.

Sixteen members of William F. Kirtz Post, No. 104, G. A. R. called yesterday, in a body, on Captain Lloyd Johnston, on the occasion of his 79th birthday, to congratulate him and wish him happy returns of the day. The veterans met at the office of Commander W. P. Clark and marched to the home of Mrs. Edna Johnston Brendel in South Pittsburgh street, where Captain Johnston received them.

They arrived at 2:30 and the ceremonies were immediately begun with a song by J. G. Elicks, followed by a prayer by Rev. J. H. Lumberston. Commander Clark acted as toastmaster. He congratulated Captain Johnston, who responded, and all the other veterans spoke briefly. Those present were:

W. P. Clark, Henry Kirtz, J. J. Barnhart, John Robinson, Alfred Brashner, J. Z. Pritchard, W. H. Shaw, A. S. Haddock, William Artus, A. Drebert, Clark Collins, John Jones, L. W. Wolfe, J. R. Balesley, John Rogers, Lyman Strickler, J. G. Hicks, Rev. W. H. Cladden and Rev. J. H. Lambertson.

## BUY LARGER FARM.

W. H. Hlen and James Guyan Purchased Valuable Land at Manning.

Announcement was made yesterday of the sale of the Larimer farm, in Perry township, Fayette county, and Rostraver township in Westmoreland county, to W. E. Rice and J. W. Guyan of Connellsville. D. V. P. Larimer sold the land, which consists of 220 acres, and the farm buildings, the consideration being given at \$10,000. It is located near Banning.

The Larimer property is known as one of the finest farms in this section of the country. It contains valuable coal deposits which will be worked, and some good timber.

Truck Hits Street Car.  
Templeton's delivery truck suffered the loss of a headlight when it collided with a West Penn street car at Crawford avenue and Arch streets last night about 6 o'clock.

Get Marriage Licenses.  
Marriage licenses were issued at Uniontown yesterday to Andy Farago and Mari Matus, both of Bittner, and Edgar Fisher, Leisenring No. 2, and Virginia Silbaugh, Leisenring.

## HAVE ROSY CHEEKS AND FEEL FRESH AS A DAISY—TRY THIS!

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

To see the tinge of healthy bloom in your face, to see your skin get clear and clearer, to wake up without a headache, backache, coated tongue or a nasty breath, in fact to feel your best, day in and day out, just try, inside, bathing every morning for one week.

Before breakfast each day, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it as a harmless means of washing from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, your bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach, wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentation, gases and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the blood and internal organs. Those who are subject to constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, rheumatic twinges, also those whose skin is sallow and complexioned, are assured that one week of inside-bathing will have them both looking and feeling better in every way.—Adv.

## The Grim Reaper

AGNES PETKO.  
Agnes Petko, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Petko of Juniata died yesterday afternoon from an attack of pneumonia. She had been ill only two days. Funeral tomorrow afternoon with burial in St. John's cemetery.

MISS BESSIE ELLSWORTH.  
The funeral of Miss Bessie Ellsworth of Youngwood, was held this afternoon from the Pennsylvania funeral arriving here at 2:43 o'clock. Interment in Chestnut Hill cemetery and funeral director C. C. Mitchell took charge of the body here. Funeral services were held at her Youngwood residence.

JOSEPH THOMAS RAFTER.  
Joseph Thomas Rafter, of Frost, O., died Tuesday at 9:30 o'clock at the home of his mother, Mrs. Marcellus Snyder, following an illness of quinsy. Deceased was born at Chiloply and afterwards lived for some time at Rockwood. He is survived by his mother and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Ira Snyder, Catharine and Michael Rafter, at home, and two half brothers, and sister.

MRS. MARGARET KUBNS.  
Mrs. Margaret Kubns of Uniontown, a sister to Frank Kinell of Eighth street, and J. W. Kinell of Wheeler, died early this morning at the home of a sister, Mrs. Jones, in Mount Pleasant. Funeral Saturday afternoon from the family residence on East Main street, Uniontown. Deceased leaves her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Jones.

## BUY PROPERTY.

M. Bernardo Takes Over Atkinson Building on Apple Street.

Michael Bernardo, proprietor of the Piva & Co. Cent wall paper store on Apple street, has purchased the building in which his store is located from Mrs. Alice Atkinson.

Since taking over the property, Mr. Bernardo has made extensive improvements, changing the exterior to provide a better display window and transforming a rear room into a storage room and show place for his wall paper samples. Mr. Bernardo has been in business in Connellsville for four years and has been very successful.

## FINGERS MASHED.

Pit Post Falls and Crushes Hands of Davidson Miner.

While driving around a corner in the mine of the H. C. Fick Coke Company at Davidson yesterday morning, Anthony Sikora, 21 years old, had three fingers crushed between a pit post and the top of his wagon. A chain on the wagon broke and caught the post causing it to fall. It missed Sikora's head but caught his hands.

Two fingers on the left hand and the ring finger of the right hand were badly crushed. Leaving the mine, Sikora went to the office of Dr. T. B. Bohard where the injured hands were dressed.

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Sizes 4 to 9, high neck, long sleeves; \$2.00 values, now \$1.50; \$2.50 values, now \$1.75.

Ladies' Fine Wool Union Suits.  
High neck, long sleeve, ankle length, size 4 to 9, \$2.75 values, now \$2.25; \$3.00 value, now \$2.50.

Children's Grey Wool Union Suits.  
Sizes 2 to 16 years, high neck, long sleeves; regular \$1.50, now at 98c.

Children's White Wool Vests and Pants.  
Sizes 2 to 12 years, regular 65c; special at 50c.

Misses' Fine Wool Sweaters.  
Roll collar—colors navy, brown, gray and tan, sizes 24 to 34; regular \$2.50. Special at \$1.95.

Ladies' Fine Wool Sweaters.  
Roll collar, fine close weave, colors are cardinal, navy, gray, brown, black and tan, 38 to 44; regular \$3.58. Special at \$2.98.

Children's Fine Ribbed Hose.  
White and black, 5 to 9½; regular 25c. Special at 15c.

Ladies' Fine Silk Boot Hose.  
Black only, 9 to 10½; regular 50c. Special at 35c.

One lot of Jewelry, in Pins, Brooches, Lingerie Pins, fancy goods in boxes, and Pin Cushions; also, Beads. Values up to 59c. Special, 10c.

Any Doll in the house at Half Price.  
All Fancy Baskets, also Waste Baskets, Fruit and Sandwich Baskets. One-Half from Marked Prices.

One small lot of Ladies' and Gents' Handkerchiefs, slightly mussed from handling during the holiday rush. Less One-Half from Marked Prices.

65 dozen Ladies' Fine Irish Lawn Embroidered Handkerchiefs, white and colored, initial, have always sold at 35c. Special at 29c a half dozen.

30 Dozen Initial and Fancy Embroidered Children's Handkerchiefs, to a box, regular price up to \$1.00. Special price 15c.

25 Dozen Ladies' Hand Bags and Vanity Purses, in five styles, regular price up to \$1.00. Special, while they last, 49c.

Babies' short white dresses in nainsook, with embroidery yoke; also lace trimmed, size 6 months to 3 years; regular price 35c. Special 25c.

About 2 dozen Bath Robes in all sizes and colors, up to 8 years, that are slightly soiled from handling. Values \$1.25. Special while they last, 79c.

All Children's Fur Sets in flat and round Muffs, price range from \$2.25 to \$15.00 a set, now less than one-third from marked price.

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Boys' and Girls' Sweaters in Cardinal, navy, copen, brown, tan, oxford. Sizes up to 6 years. They are all wool and the colors are guaranteed fast. Values to \$1.75. Special 95c.

Son at Harris Home.  
A son was born yesterday at Ann Arbor, Michigan, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Harris. The new arrival has been named Walter W. Harris, Jr. Mrs. Harris was before her marriage Miss Helen Straub of Connellsville. Mr. Harris was instructor in history at the high school here for two terms, resigning to pursue his studies further at the University of Michigan.

Re-enters Hospital.  
George Wishart of East Connellsville was readmitted to the Columbia Hospital, Wilkesburg, yesterday. Mr. Wishart has been a sufferer of hip trouble for some time past and an X-ray photograph will be taken in an effort to locate the trouble.

Gets a Divorce.  
Jane R. Hart of Connellsville was granted a divorce from Ed G. Hart, also of this city, by court yesterday. They were married December 20, 1902, at Connellsville. Cruel and barbarous treatment was alleged.

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Mrs. A. Cable, Dawson, Pa.  
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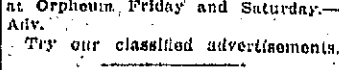
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## At the Theatres.



## ARCADE THEATRE.

Today at the Arcade Robert Edeson is in "The Cave Man," a story that is admirably adapted to pictorialization. It tells the story of how a man picked haphazardly from the submerged tenth, is made to grow and expand mentally until he becomes a valuable member of worth-while society. He lives of this life and returns to his old haunts but finds that he does not belong. Fate again forces him back into the plane of endeavor and he again becomes a man of value to the community. A great theme, but then Mr. Edeson is a great actor and the Vitagraph is a great producing company.

Tomorrow Francis X. Bushman and Ruth Stonehouse and an all star cast will be seen in George Ade's funny comedy drama, "The Slim Princess."

Charlie Chaplin will also be in a picture seen in Connellsville for the first time. "The Heart Thief." It is said to be exceedingly funny. The show on Saturday will start at 10 o'clock in the morning in order to accommodate all those who wish to see Cyrus Townsend Lord's military drama, "Briton of the Seventh." In writing this story about General Custer's last stand, Mr. Brady did a wonderful work, and made a valuable contribution to the records of the United States army. It is for this reason that on Saturday the manager of the Arcade asks all veterans to be his guests at the 10 o'clock show. "Ham and Bud" will be on the screen also, as they are every Saturday. This time they will be in "A Scuerkraut comedy drama, 'The Slim Princess'."

Screen Magazine No. 5, "The Little Rebel's Sacrifice," a Big-U drama. Tomorrow Herbert Rawlinson and Grace Carlyle will be featured in the Bluebird special release, "The Eagle's Wings." Uncle Sam is now engaged in tabulating and compiling the results of a canvass that is being made among the industrial concerns of the United States to find out just exactly what he may expect from the wheels and spindles, the forges and mills that hum and hustle at this moment in peaceful pursuits. And just to bring in an entertaining and practical way, to the attention of the multitude the need and practise of "industrial preparedness." Bluebird photoplays have produced a feature, under the title of "The Eagle's Wings," to be exhibited at the Solis-sou tomorrow.

## ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"PATRIA." Mrs. Vernon Castle, the best known woman in America.



Mrs. Vernon Castle as Patria Channing in PATRIA International Serial

will be the attraction in the now serial, "Patria." In "Patria," Mrs. Castle has every opportunity to display her remarkable versatility. National preparedness is the theme, with a delightful romance interwoven. The first episode is entitled "Last of the Fighting Chancellors," and is in three reels. It is full of melodramatic and thrilling situations. The purpose of Patria is to touch the great need of preparedness throughout the nation. In the play you will see the United States menaced by a foreign foe. You will see the invasion of America. You will see a slim and beautiful girl crystallizing the thought of wise and far-seeing people—preparedness. Do not miss this gripping story. "Immediate Lee," a five reel western drama, of the Arizona wilds featuring Anna Little will also be shown. Friday and Saturday William Fox presents Theda Bara in "The Darling of Paris," a drama of love and intrigue. This production will go down in history as one of the most absorbing in which Theda Bara has ever been identified.

## Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK. Feb. 1.—Miss Eliza and Grace DuShane of Mill Run spent a day among Connellsville friends and shopping. Lester Barry of Hazlewood spent a few days among Mill Run friends. Lete Cox is visiting his father, who is very ill. Charles Sulekel, who spent a few days with his mother at Mill Run, has returned to Pittsburgh. Roy Ephenhower of Somerset, held revival services at Mill Run. H. J. Fisher returned from Pittsburgh this morning. Joseph Hilt is spending a few days among Connellsville friends. Mrs. David Bigum was calling on Connellsville friends and shopping yesterday. Hiram Hall of Mill Run was transacting business in Connellsville yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bligam spent yesterday with Connellsville friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rogers of Rogers Mill spent yesterday among Connellsville friends and shopping. Mrs. William Shaver and daughter, Mrs. William Horner of Connellsville, are spending today among Connellsville friends. C. S. Pore of Indian Head was a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown yesterday. Smith Walpkey is moving his household goods and family from Jones Mill to Mill Run. Harry Harkum of Jones Mill spent yesterday among Connellsville friends.

## SOISSON THEATRE.

"LIBERTY" NO. 11.—Featuring Marie Walcanup and Eddie Polo, will be shown today. In this episode they are forced to descend from the aeroplane and are held prisoners by the Mexicans, but they later escape. Pedro sends Liberty to warn the United States army and to cross the desert. One thrilling moment is when Pedro, in an auto, goes over a 100 foot embankment. "Is Marriage Sacred?" a two reel story will be shown every Thursday. Each one is a complete story. "His Little Room Mate," a two reel Victor comedy, with Carter Deffayon. Universal.

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## Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE. Feb. 1.—Mrs. Michael Foley entertained the Wednesday Club at her home on Center street yesterday. Mrs. J. E. Bannan of Scotland was an out of town guest. Mrs. S. B. Philson is entertaining today with a 1 o'clock luncheon at her home on Center street.

Mrs. Jennie Wilmoth and daughters, Misses Clara, Mary and Gretchen, left Wednesday for an indefinite stay at Atlantic City.

Mrs. H. C. McKinley, wife of Dr. McKinley, is seriously ill at her home on the South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Guagey, spent Tuesday in Cumberland attending to business matters.

Mrs. James Leckenby is spending today with friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. John Blough and daughter, Eleanor, were visitors to Cumberland on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gramer were recent visitors to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. William Leckenby has returned to her home in New Brighton after a visit here with relatives and friends.

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Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system. If you have a pale face, yellow, look-dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

## BELL-ANS

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.



## Pure Blood

You can keep your blood in good condition—have a clear skin, and bright eyes, by taking

**BEECHAM'S PILLS**

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes 10c., 25c.

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**WHITE LINE**  
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MOTOR TRUCK and WAGON  
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PIANOS A SPECIALTY.

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## Week End Specials at Davidson's

Was the last Roast, Steak, or Dressed Chickens what you wanted? If not call our Meat Department, we will send you what you want. Orders delivered promptly.

### We Will Save You Money

50-Pound Sack Larabee Flour	\$2.45
Uncle Jerry Pan Cake Flour, package	10c
Fancy Head Rice, 7c pound, 4 pounds	25c
Macaroni or Noodles, 3 large packages	25c
Condensed Soups, a can	10c
English Walnuts, per pound	20c
Cream Corn Starch, 3 packages	20c
Jell-O or Ice Cream Powder, 3 for	25c
Fresh Soda Crackers, a pound	10c
Fresh Oyster Crackers, a pound	10c
Fancy Rio Coffee, a pound	16c
Fancy Santos Coffee, a pound	19c
Pure Cocoa, (loose), a pound	17c
Fancy Pumpkin, a can	10c
Red Beans, a can	10c
Bull Head Baked Beans, a can	10c
Snider's Baked Beans, large can	15c
Pure Jelly, a glass	9c
Pure Fruit Preserves, large jars	35c
Home-made Apple Butter, quart jar	30c
Large Tin Apple Butter, a tin	23c
Fancy Hand Packed Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
Fancy Peas, large cans, 2 for	25c
Fancy June Peas, a can	10c
Fancy Sugar Corn, a can	11c
Parker House Catsup, 20c bottle, 2 for	25c

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The Store That Does Things for You.

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Connellsville, Pa.

PETEY DINK—He Couldn't Do Anything About It If He Would.

By C. A. Volght.









## NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

Many Social Affairs Included in  
Today's Budget of  
Items.

### ROBERT GOVE IS HOME

Youth Who Served With Minnesota  
Guardians on the Border Returns;  
Boy Is Stricken With Diphtheria;  
Men Drive Two Cars from Michigan

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, Feb. 1.—Mrs. James Campbell entertained the division of the Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian Church led by Mrs. George Harrar. Missionary money for this division of the class was made up. A social hour and refreshments followed the business session.

Marjorie Coffman entertained the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the United Brethren Church at his home on Tuesday evening. Following a social evening at which music and games were a feature, refreshments were served.

Miss Stoenman Host.  
Miss Gladys Stoenman entertained the Parker Circle at her home on Tuesday evening. Following the mission study and business meeting refreshments were served.

John Martin, aged 12, who makes his home with his uncle, Robert Perry on Eleventh avenue, is ill of diphtheria. This is only the second case of diphtheria to be reported to the board of health this year.

William McClain, formerly with the Scottdale Auto company, has accepted a position with the Alberg Car-buretor company of Hickory street.

Frank Hill and Curt Harrer, who left Sunday a week ago for Flint, Mich., returned yesterday with two cars driven through from the factory.

Robert Gove was mustered out of the Minnesota National Guard at Fort Snelling, Minn., on January 24, arrived home yesterday and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gove. He was employed at Albert Lee, Minn., when the call came for men for the border and he enlisted.

Mrs. M. J. Kennedy left yesterday to visit Pittsburgh friends.  
Mrs. Helen Danbrink returned yesterday from a visit with Mrs. Jennie of Wilkesburg.

Miss Stella Heffley of New York City is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Stoner.

William Seeman left yesterday to visit Pittsburgh friends.  
Miss Anna Merritt left yesterday to visit Mrs. Paul Felt at Pittsburgh.  
George McCurdy left this morning for Pittsburgh on a business trip.  
S. A. F. Alberg spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Evans Barron of Latrobe, formerly Miss Pearl Crosby of this place, is the guest of friends here.  
Harry Clark left yesterday to visit Yukon friends.

### Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, Feb. 1.—C. S. Freed of Dunbar township, visited his daughter, Miss Mary Freed here yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Clyde F. Randolph and daughter, Eleanor, and son Robert, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. William F. Randolph of East Liberty.

Mrs. Kate Pratt of East Liberty, was calling on relatives here yesterday.

William McBurney of Flatwoods, was a business caller here yesterday.

William Oswald of Conneville, was calling on friends here recently.

Thomas Dunn of Franklin township, was a business caller here yesterday.

Mrs. Bert Mull and son, and Mrs. J. I. Creighton of Ruffsdale, were here yesterday the guests of friends.

The H. D. Club will hold its regular meeting this evening at the home of Miss Freeda Wright on Main street.

The Saturday Afternoon Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Saturday, February 6 at the home of Miss Mary Nevada McLaughlin.

W. A. Cosgrove returned home yesterday evening from McDonald, where he was called by the serious illness of his aunt, Mrs. T. J. Walker. Mrs. Walker is some improved at this writing.

Lloyd Stouffer of Dawson, was in town yesterday.

### UNSELFISH MOTHER LOVE

Mother Love is one of the most sacred things in the world. It prompts the mother to give her strength on life even gladly, happily—that her child may be safer, happier, stronger or better in every way.

Just a food—especially prepared to aid in making red blood and strong healthy tissues—what she needs. Then all the natural functions of the body will be easily carried on without the least sense of fatigue or drain. With plenty of red blood in her veins, mother will feel no ill effect from nursing baby.

HEMO will aid mother in supplying baby with a quantity of good quality milk and at the same time improve her general physical condition. When it is impossible to nurse the baby, secure the food most nearly like mother's milk by asking your druggist for Thompson's Food (Peptonized).

We suggest that you try a 50c package with our guarantee of satisfaction.

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## RECIPE TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

This Home Made Mixture Darkens  
Gray Hair and Makes It  
Soft and Glossy.

To half pint of water add:  
Bay Rum ..... 1 oz.  
Barbo Compound ..... a small box  
Glycerine ..... 1/2 oz.  
These are all simple ingredients that you can buy from any druggist at very little cost, and mix them yourself. Apply to the hair once a day for two weeks, then once every other week until all the mixture is used.

A half pint should be enough to darken the gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. It should make a gray-haired person look 20 years younger.—Adv.

### Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Feb. 1.—A. L. Glover of Onondaga, was a borough business visitor Tuesday.

Lewis Evans, a former resident of Smithfield, died at his home in Azusa, Cal., December 16, 1916, and at his request the body was cremated and the remains (ashes) will be brought to Smithfield for interment. Mr. Evans' father built the brick house on Main street now owned and occupied by Undertaker O. S. Vance. It is one of the oldest houses in the borough.

Virginia Evans Sewall, a daughter of Mr. Evans, married Dr. Sewall of Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Sewall attended Georges Creek academy as a student under the tutelage of O. J. Sturgis, late editor of the News Standard, when he taught a normal school there. She afterwards taught several terms in the Uniontown schools. Mrs. Sewall visited friends and relatives in Smithfield about eight years ago.

We are indebted to Mrs. A. T. Metcalf of Smithfield for the above, who gained them through a letter she recently received from Mrs. Kathryn Lyman, another daughter of Lewis Evans, of Azusa, Cal.

G. W. Campbell and daughter, Mrs. M. S. Brooks, and son, Billie, were recent Conneville business visitors.

Mrs. Ann Cooley is a sufferer from an attack of grip, the prevailing malady here.

The Misses Perle and Currie Matthei spent Sunday with their nieces, Mrs. Ralph Hickman, and Mrs. S. John Morrow at Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hayden and family of Uniontown, visited Mrs. Hayden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Campbell.

Ernest Young of Point Marion, was a borough business visitor yesterday.

Harry Abraham was in Uniontown Tuesday having one of his eyes treated by a specialist. He has been laid off from work several days suffering intense pain from a nervous affliction of the optic prism which his family physician here could not give him any relief and advised him to consult a specialist.

Martin Hope has optioned 60 acres of coal underlying his farm in Spring Hill township to a Uniontown party, at \$500 per acre.

Read The Daily Courier.

### Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 1.—The Civic League met Tuesday night in the high school auditorium with a good attendance. In the absence of the president, Rev. Law was appointed chairman of the meeting, and H. H. Slocum, secretary. After a stirring address by Prof. W. H. Martin, Edmund Martin, D. S. Luce and others, decision was made by the league to take the initiative in the matter of remonstrating against the granting of a license to saloon in Perryopolis.

A committee was appointed to arrange for a union meeting of the Civic League and the W. C. T. U. on Saturday evening, February 3, to further prepare for the campaign.

The score in the basketball game Tuesday night between the Alumni and High School teams, was: Alumni 27, and High School 23.

Mrs. I. H. Baugh, assisted by Mrs. Ida Blair, entertained the Suffrage Club at the Daugh home Tuesday night. There were twenty-two members and five visitors present. Among the number of visitors were Mrs. C. M. Salisbury of Knoxville, and Mrs. Edward Carr of Dormont. An interesting program was carried out during the usual opening exercises.

Miss Grace Hixsonbaugh gave the biography of the first 25 years of Mrs. Ann Shaw. Mrs. W. H. Martin gave an interesting talk on the "Picket Duty at the White House," also touched on the "High Cost of Living, or the Cost of High Living." Miss Cole, a member of the high school faculty, gave a talk on the "Farmer and the Suffrage Question." The program was interspersed with musical duets and solos by Miss Carson and Mrs. J. B. Snyder. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostesses. It was decided that there would be no meeting of the club in the month of February owing to the meetings which will be going on in the Methodist Episcopal Church at that time.

Miss Martha Carson of Layton, was the guest of Mrs. C. G. Blair Tuesday.

### SCOTSDALE WINS.

Mount Pleasant Duckpin Rollers Lost by 86 Pins.

Scottdale duckpin rollers defeated Mount Pleasant by 66 pins in a match game Tuesday night. The scores:

List	101	135	135
Harrie	114	89	104
Griffith	143	118	111
McKee	124	142	126
Miller	127	112	94
Total	609	596	570

MT. PLEASANT.

Jack	103	88	105
Rip	102	90	134
Frank	126	103	104
Nixon	118	100	115
August	102	99	134
Total	589	514	606

THE CONNELLSVILLE MARKET

Friday and Saturday Specials

Fresh Strawberries, per quart	40c
4 Pounds Good Head Rice	25c
2 Pounds Fancy Prunes	25c
2 Pounds Fancy Evaporated Peaches	25c
Large Cans Hand Picked Tomatoes, can, 11c	
Early June Peas, per can	11c
Good Corn, per can	11c
2 Cans Salmon	25c
Mother's Oats, 3 for	25c
Satisfaction, Old Reliable, Red Bell, Tartan and Black Cross Coffee, per pound	25c
2 Cans Pears	25c

Oleomargarine, 25c, 28c and 30c per pound

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## ANOTHER FREIGHT RATE ADVANCE

The Railroads Are Preparing to Make  
a Demand for a 10 Per Cent In-  
crease in All Rates.

While addressing the suspension board of the Interstate Commerce Commission last week in connection with a hearing as to the proposal of the railroads to reduce free time on shipments for export, Luther M. Walter, Chicago, attorney for the Industrial Traffic League, stated that the carriers are planning to institute another advance rate case. They consider that they should have an increase of 10 per cent in all rates, to provide themselves with a fund to be used in buying equipment and to meet the cost of living increased amazingly since the beginning of 1915, when the carriers were given an advance that probably averaged 3 per cent on their whole traffic.

Allowance of the amount named by Mr. Walter, he said, would give the railroads, on the basis of the business of the last few years, between \$300,000,000 and \$340,000,000, or about \$3 per capita from each inhabitant of the continental United States, to spend for cars. The average cost of a car is approximately \$1,000, it was stated, so that the money, if spent exclusively for equipment, would add from 300,000 to 340,000 cars to the stock of equipment which, roughly speaking, consists of about 2,500,000 cars.

### SHIPMENTS DECREASE

Bituminous Coal and Coke Both Show  
A Falling Off in December.

The statement of C. E. Lesher, of the United States Geological Survey, shows that on 50 bituminous coal-carrying railroads 486,347 cars were hauled in December as compared with 494,312 cars in November and 537,647 cars in December 1915.

Of 11 railroads serving the beehive coke producing districts 61,880 cars were shipped in December as against 66,619 in November and 67,460 cars in December 1915.

The decrease in shipments of bituminous coal in December, 1916, compared with November, 1916, was 1.2 per cent, and compared with December, 1915, was 9.2 per cent. The average number of cars of coal per working day was 19,526 in December, 1916, against 20,596 in November, 1916, and 20,679 cars in December, 1915. The 56 roads contributing to this total originated approximately 65 per cent of the total shipments of bituminous coal on railroads in 1915.

The shipments of beehive coke in December, 1916, showed a decrease of 7 per cent compared with November, 1916, and a decrease of 5 per cent compared with December, 1915.

### END STRIKE

Bethlehem Steel Company Stops Trou-  
ble by Taking Over Coke Plant.

In order to end a strike and at once remove the cause for the crippling of the recently acquired Lehigh and Cornwall iron and steel interests, the Bethlehem Steel Company has prematurely taken over from the Semet-Solway Company its coke plant at the Lehigh furnaces.

The transfer had originally been scheduled for February 1, but when the coke oven men learned that the Semet-Solway Company would not pay them the wage bonus they said had been promised for 1916 they refused to longer work for the company.

The strikers returned immediately when they found the Bethlehem Steel Company in charge.

### HAS PRIOR RIGHT

Circuit Court at Wheeling Decides the  
W. O. & E. R. R. Was First.

The Wheeling, Ohio & Eastern Railroad Company has established its right in the courts to its location along the Wheeling Creek in the Greene county line at Majorsville, which has been disputed by the Wheeling Coal Railroad Company in the interests of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

In proceedings brought in the United States Circuit Court at Wheeling to determine the priority of right between the contending companies, Judge H. C. Harvey has handed down a decision supporting the contentions of the independent company.

Furnace Idle.

The furnace of the Mississippi Valley Iron Company, Saint Louis, is down for 30 days for repairs.



## The Licorice Gum

Here, Sis, I've got two more pieces left—take one.

Ooh, goody! Thanks, Buddy. I like it better than any kind of candy.

You bet! It's bully for a cough, too.

## MUST DISCOUNT THE FUTURE

Rising Costs of Railroad Operation  
Will Soon Reduce Level of Net  
Earnings; Falling Off Now.

Last year was a bumper period, so to speak, for the railroads of the country, net earnings aggregating in excess of \$1,000,000,000. To regard the net earnings of a single exceptional year as proof of a continuance of big returns is both unwise and unwarranted.

Already indications appear of a recession from the high level of last year's net earnings. For example, it is estimated that the Baltimore & Ohio's net income for the six months ended December 31 last, basing the December earnings on the returns for the preceding five months, will show a decline of \$1,000,000.

Joseph McGill of Dawson, was calling on friends here Tuesday evening. Car Inspector James Mosser of Dawson, is on the sick list this week. J. H. Litten of Vanderbilt, was a Conneville business caller Monday.

Harry McDonald of Dawson is spending a few days at Philadelphia. Mrs. James Beatty and Miss Marie Beatty were calling on Vanderbilt friends Tuesday evening.

Sells Riverboat Boat Trail.  
The sale by the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company of its boat yard and dock at Riverport is understood to be another step in the policy of the Pittsburgh Coal Company to confine the trade of its Monongahela river mines to the Pittsburgh district and to make all southern shipments from its West Virginia mines on the Kanawha and tributaries.

Wharton Plant Not Sold.  
The Wharton Coke & Coal Company, operating at Wharton, Indiana county, was not involved in the recent sale of the Wharton Steel Company, the parent concern, to J. Leonard Rappaport. The coal property is retained by the estate of the late Joseph Wharton.

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## KOBACKER'S "THE BIG STORE" ON PITTSBURGH ST.

## Clean Up of Men's and Boys' Wear

15c Men's Dress Hose at	10c
35c Boys' Fleece Shirts or Drawers	21
\$1.50 to \$2.00 Men's Flannel Shirts	95c
\$1.25 Men's Sweaters, fancy weave	95c
\$1.00 and 1.35 Men's Dress Shirts	65c
\$1.00 Men's Ribbed Shirts or Drawers	65c
\$1.25 Boys' Wool Union Suits, at	95c
50c Men's Fleece Shirts or Drawers	35c
\$1.50 Men's Wool Shirts or Drawers	95c
\$1.25 Men's Ribbed Union Suits	75c

## Clean up of Blankets

Heavy Cotton Blankets, size 10-4, in grey or tan, real 98c values, at 79c

Extra heavy Cotton Blankets, full double bed size, grey or tan, regular \$1.98 values, at \$1.69

Fine quality White Cotton Blankets, with blue or pink border, 11-4 size, \$1.39 values 98c

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## HOPWOOD DEFENDS CLAIMS OF THE SMALLER TOWNS

Fires Some Hot Shots in Fight For Somerset Federal Building.

### TAKES FLING AT IOWA

Congressman From That State Objects and Unlabeled Legislator Replies to Remark That Iowa Is Dead, Having Lost 7,000 in Ten Years.

In a hot fight before the House in urging his appropriation of \$50,000 for a federal building at Somerset, Congressman R. F. Hopwood of Unlabeled made a vigorous defense of the claims of small towns for a share in Congressional appropriations. The bill passed the House and is now before the Senate. What its fate will be there is problematical.

Congressman Hopwood took a fling at the claims of large cities and fired a few hot shots at Congressman Good of Iowa and others who are objecting to appropriations to small country towns.

"I find that the gentleman from Iowa," said Mr. Hopwood, referring to Mr. Good, "lives in a city that has 22,811 people, but he lives in a county that has 60,720 people; that is, more than half of the people in that county live in his town. The county has only increased in the last 10 years 5,000 people, while in the county I am speaking about, Somerset county, has increased 20,000 in the same period. The county he lives in has increased since 1890, 15,000, while the county that I represent has increased 30,000. Somerset county has a larger population than his county, and yet he would object to public buildings in such towns as this, because of their small populations, rather than judge the necessity by the population of the county. I think it ought to be based on the population of the county. I think there is where we make a mistake."

Incidentally, Mr. Hopwood asserted that Iowa is dead and gave as proof of his assertion the fact that it decreased in population 7,000 between the last census and the one preceding, whereas Pennsylvania increased more than 2,300,000 in the same period.

Concluding, Mr. Hopwood said: "I expect to vote for this bill, and if the great metropolitan papers and magazines choose to call it pork when we appropriate \$25,000 or \$50,000 for a public building in a town, and statehoodship of a high order when we appropriate several hundred times that sum for one of our great cities, well and good."

### Dunbar.

DUNBAR, Feb. 1.—Joseph Gessner has moved into the new house formerly occupied by Wilson and Whist.

One-half and one-fourth of our entire stock, account opening sale. Dunbar Hardware & Plumbing Company. Adv.—29-31.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet in the church this afternoon.

The school children of the borough will hold their entertainment in the school building Friday night. A candy sale will be held in connection with the entertainment.

Miss Birdie Kelly was shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Mrs. Peter Johnson is visiting relatives in Butler.

George Whist was removed to the Columbia Hospital, Pittsburgh, yesterday for treatment.

### Obiopyle.

OBIOPYLE, Feb. 1.—Miss Elsie Beggs of Confluence, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. R. C. Holt and daughter, Miss Jean, spent Wednesday the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson of Ursina.

E. B. Jackson returned yesterday from a business trip spent at Confluence.

Mrs. Benjamin McNutt of Somerset, is the guest of friends here for a few days.

Mrs. M. H. Hinchcliff spent Wednesday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson of Ursina.

Mrs. Rosa Linderman who has been visiting at Blawell, returned to her home here yesterday.

Mrs. L. A. McMullin is on the sick list.

### Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Randolph wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted them in their bereavement, the sickness and death of Miss Lizzie Randolph. Adv.

### STOP CATARRH OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief. Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, sniffing, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight. Adv.

# BUY THAT PIANO OR PLAYER NOW



## \$259

Buys a genuine \$350 Foster Piano of the very latest type and design. A Piano of splendid musical quality and durability.

\$5 is all you pay down. (You get a receipt for \$7.50). 40 months to pay the balance.

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Buys during this sale the new \$550 Foster Player Piano, the Player with a perfect record of satisfaction in thousands of homes.

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## Good Music in the Home is Not a Luxury--- it is a Necessity. This Sale is Your Golden Opportunity

This Co-operative Profit-Sharing Sale, planned by Foster & Co., offers you the opportunity you have been wanting. Never before could you save so much or buy on such favorable terms. This is your chance to put a real high-grade Piano or Player Piano in your home—one that will give you and your family a lifetime of pleasure.

## These are the Big Savings and Protective Features of this Sale

You save more than \$100 on the price of these Pianos and Piano-players and a great deal more on our profit-sharing plan.

You get, for example a \$350 Foster Piano for \$250 and a \$550 Foster Player Piano for \$409.

You may pay as little as \$5 down on a Piano and \$10 on a Player, and we add an extra credit of 50 cents for each dollar of your first payment, up to \$50. You pay \$5 and get a receipt for \$7.50. You pay \$50 and get a receipt for \$75.

You may take 40 months to pay the balance, but if you will shorten the time we will allow you extra inducements.

We give you every assurance that you will be perfectly satisfied with your purchase by giving you an ironclad guarantee. Every Piano and every Player must be perfect in material and workmanship.

We also agree to allow all purchasers of Pianos the privilege of exchanging same at any time within one year from date of purchase for any Player Piano in our stock.

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In case of the death of a signer of one of these sale contracts we agree to cancel the unpaid balance, if the account has been kept up to date, and give a receipt in full for the instrument.

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### Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 1.—The revival services in the Methodist Episcopal Church still continue with unabated interest.

Frank Burnworth and Annie Show of Johnson Chapel were recently married at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage here by Rev. W. M. Bracken.

Joseph Ream of Drakestown was a recent business visitor to Somerset.

Mrs. Jack Enlow and children of Cumberland were here yesterday on their way home after visiting her mother, Mrs. Loudermilk at Selwyn, Md., a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burnworth of the West Side were shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collins of Ursina were shopping and visiting friends in town yesterday.

Perry Miller of Listonburg was here yesterday on his way to Somerset on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Trentle and daughter of Connelville were visiting friends here yesterday.

The many friends of Mrs. J. R. Brown, one of our most popular old ladies who has been ill for several days, will be glad to know that she is slightly improved.

The body of Amos Humbert's father

## KREW-PINA Relieves All Aches and Pains

Sprains, bruises, contusions, chilblains, rheumatism, and many other muscular troubles are troublesome enough in themselves, but most painful and distressing to the sufferer. Krew-Pina is a remedy that will not blister, and positively will not blister. When ever you have an ache or pain just apply this remedy to the affected parts and you will get immediate and permanent relief. We guarantee satisfaction or your money will be returned.

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Krew-Pina costs only 25c at your druggist's. If you do not already have it, buy one today and keep it in your medicine chest, ready for immediate use.

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No Change in Ownership of Lehigh Coke Company It Is Stated.

Authoritative denial has been made of the report that there has been changes affecting the control of the Lehigh Coke Company, which operates the by-product plant at South Bethlehem.

The Deutsche Bank of Berlin has owned these works for several years.

The Bethlehem Steel Company largely controls its coke output through a long-term contract which still is in force. Some recent changes have been made in the operating management of the works and to these probably is due the mistaken reports.

### COAL EXPORTS REDUCED

December Movement Fell Below That of November; Coke Increased.

Total coal exports from Baltimore in December fell below November, 61,542 tons being sent out in November and 62,391 the past month. December exceeded in exports of coke, with 15,861 tons, as against 7,563 tons in November.

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### DENBO PLANT SOLD

Properties Acquired by E. W. Mudge & Company, of Pittsburgh.

The Denbo coke plant, consisting of 234 rectangular ovens, located on the north bank of the Monongahela river, opposite Allegheny No. 1, in the Lower Connelville region has been purchased by E. W. Mudge & Company, the iron, steel and coke brokers of Pittsburgh and Cleveland. The Reliance Coke Company, controlled by the Fowles interests of Pittsburgh, built and operated the plant until its sale to the present owners.

The property includes 500 acres of coal together with a full complement of modern company houses and a very complete layout. The coke ovens have an output of from 25,000 to 20,000 tons monthly, a part of which will be used in the Clair furnace at Sharpsville, Pa., recently purchased by the Mudge Company from M. A. Hazen & Company, Cleveland.

### YOU MUST HAVE IT.

You Can't Possibly Get Along Without It.

As long as you live you'll need it. It is absolutely necessary to your happiness and comfort. What? Money, of course, and don't you think it would be wise to save a little of anything so essential to the well being of your family and yourself? The old, reliable First National is safe and pays liberal interest. One dollar starts a savings account. Adv.

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A full line of selected Fish, Oysters and Sea Foods in Season.

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FREE DELIVERY.

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## COMING OUT PARTY FOR TARR GIRL IS PLEASING AFFAIR

Mr. and Mrs. John Leighty Entertain for Their Daughter Dorothy.

## LOAN ASSOCIATION MEETS

Mount Pleasant B. of L. Elects Directors For Evening Year and Directors Chose Officers: Death of Infant at Parthenon: Other Newsw Notes.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. John Leighty gave a coming out party for their daughter, Miss Dorothy, at their country home near Tarr. Fifty guests from Greensburg, Scottsdale, Mount Pleasant, Tarr and Ruffsdale were present. The affair was formal. Miss Leighty wore white charmed hair. Kiefer's orchestra furnished music for the evening and Kuhn, the caterer, served the refreshments. Mrs. Leighty was assisted in the affair by her daughter, Mrs. Harry Harcourt.

**Loan Association Meets.**  
At a meeting of the stockholders of the Mount Pleasant Building & Loan Association, the following directors were elected: T. C. Patterson, T. S. Shaw, Dr. F. L. Marsh, Samuel Neel, Dr. M. S. Kuhn, Jacob Z. Fox, J. D. Goldsmith, Dr. W. A. Marsh and D. L. George. The directors elected the following officers: John A. Stevenson, president; Charles L. Kuhn, vice president; S. C. Stevenson, secretary; George W. Stoen, treasurer; R. E. Marsh, solicitor. The auditors are Charles E. Stoen, Richard Doncaster and C. F. DeFries.

**Death of Infant.**  
The year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Audika who died Tuesday night at his Parthenon home, will be buried today in the Slavish cemetery following funeral services at the Slavish Church.

**"All Day" Sewing.**  
The ladies of the Bible class of the Church of God held an all day sewing at the home of Mrs. John Ruth yesterday. Lunch was served at the noon hour.

**Personals.**  
Mrs. Meade Mulvihill has returned to her Pittsburg home, after a visit paid Mr. and Mrs. John Gemmill.  
Mrs. Frank Simpson spent Tuesday in Greensburg.

## Pechin.

PECHIN, Feb. 1.—Emery Hardy of Hardy Hill is on the sick list.  
Walter Dolan of Pechin has a severe case of measles and pneumonia, and his condition is critical.  
Mrs. Shepard Gillespie of Pechin was at Connellsville shopping Monday.  
Mrs. Samuel Wadsworth, Mrs. Cope and Mrs. D. J. Provance of Pechin are on the sick list.  
Mrs. S. Cope of Pechin was at Connellsville shopping Tuesday.  
Mrs. Dominic Angelo of Pechin was visiting her sister at Allinon Monday.

Miss Mac Hardy of Hardy Hill was at Connellsville shopping Monday.  
Pechin Chapel will hold a box social Friday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.  
The monthly literary society of the Pechin school will be held Friday afternoon. A fine program has been prepared and an interesting time is expected. The monthly examinations are being held at Pechin school this week.

The high water Saturday night washed away the bridge over Melborn Run, near Hill Farm, blocking travel till it was repaired.

John A. Lehman of Koffers station was at Connellsville shopping Monday.  
D. J. Provance has been appointed night watchman for the United Fire Brick company at Pechin in place of H. L. Brown, resigned. Mr. Provance will begin his duties today.

C. W. Baker of Pechin, who has been seriously ill, is better.

David S. Caspina has the grip and is off duty. He works for the West Team.

Mrs. Harry McClain and son of Ferguson were at Connellsville shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Herrington of Union town was a guest of J. L. Koffler of Koffers station Saturday and Sunday.

Harry Thorpe of Benson Hill was at Connellsville shopping Monday.

Mrs. Luteila Cole and Miss Daisy Cole of Koffers station were at Mount Braddock recently.

Mrs. John McClain and daughter, Virginia, of Koffers station were at Connellsville shopping Monday.

J. B. Senior of Koffers station was at Uniontown on business Monday.

J. B. Senior and family of Koffers station were at Connellsville Saturday afternoon.

The United Fire Brick company employees received their pay for the last two weeks yesterday.

Harry Senior of Koffers station is on the sick list.

Thomas Kelley of Pechin received a new piano yesterday.

Michael Kearney of Pechin was at Connellsville attending a meeting of the Brotherhood of the Roman Catholic Church Saturday evening.

Andrew Mader of Pechin, who has been building a house, store, waiting room and fruit stand, will occupy it February 15.

Patronize those who advertise.

To Use Nearby Coal.  
At the Cherry Valley blast furnace of the United-Iron & Steel Company, at Leetonia, O., plans are being shaped to provide a coal supply from 400 acres of coal lands adjacent.

## Grip Attacks Auguste Rodin, World Renowned Sculptor



AUGUSTE RODIN AND SPECIMEN OF HIS WORK

Auguste Rodin, the famous French sculptor, was reported seriously ill with the grip. According to the bulletin, the malady followed its normal course, but owing to the sculptor's great age and the severity of the attack the patient was very weak.  
Rodin is probably the world's most famous living sculptor. His works are known in the original or in reproductions in virtually all civilized countries. He was born in Paris in 1840 and studied with Barye and others. His works are characterized by boldness, grandeur and originality of conception and have won universal praise from the critics.

## Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time in Many Instances

**A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home**  
Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me. A lady who used it says: 'The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses.' It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow it to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and induration will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.  
Note: Another prominent Physician to whom this article was submitted, said: 'Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family.' It is sold in this city by J. C. Moore.

## SOISSON THEATRE CHILDREN "THE HOUSE OF LILIES" ADULTS 5 TO-DAY 10

MARIE WALCAMP IN THE SERIAL

"LIBERTY," NO. 11.

MARGUERITE CLAYTON IN THE DRAMA

"IS MARRIAGE SACRED?"

CARTER DEHAVEN IN THE VICTOR COMEDY

"HIS LITTLE ROOM MATE."

"UNIVERSAL SCREEN MAGAZINE."

"THE LITTLE REBEL'S SACRIFICE."

—SATURDAY—

ROBERT WARWICK IN THE DRAMA

"ALL MAN."

TRY OUR CLASSIFIED ADS. ONLY 1c A WORD.

## Investors Attention

I offer for immediate sale subject to prior offer, the following securities:

63—Shares capital stock of Cameron Coal & Coke Company of Wheeling, W. Va., at \$250.00 per share.

360—Shares capital stock of Title & Trust Company of Western Pennsylvania, Connellsville, Pa., at book value about \$85.00 per share.

62—Shares 7% cumulative preferred stock of E. Dunn Stores, Inc., with accrued dividends at \$125.00 per share.

Will sell any of these securities, either in whole or in part.

For further information, communicate with

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## "La Jerz"

Sport Silk

35 In. Wide—\$2.50 Yard

—A splendidly woven Jersey Cloth of a weight and weave much superior to regular Jersey Cloth.

—This new weaving will make a strong appeal for popular favor.

—May be had in the following colors—Gold, rose, green, copen, ivory, navy, and black.

## White Materials for Frocks and Waists

—The call for plain white batiste this last week or two has been very large—girls are buying it for graduation dresses and home sewers for cool summer frocks.

—At 25c a yard we have a fine batiste, 40 inches wide, that is remarkably good for the price.

—For plain tailored Waists nothing is more practical than all-white striped voile. This comes in many different patterns, 36 and 38 inches wide, at 25c and 38c a yard.

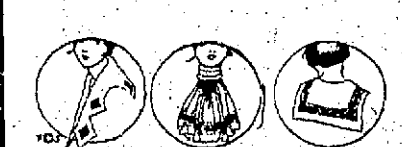
## New Taffetas For Spring, 1917

—New CHIFFON TAFFETA, 36 in. wide, an excellent quality, and at the price \$1.50 yard—a value worthy your most serious consideration. Fifteen different shades—French blue, copen, green, grey, plum, purple, lilac, maize, pink, sky, ivory, gold, navy and black.

—New MOXETBAK TAFFETA, 34 inches wide, navy and black, at \$2.00 the yard.

—New WATERPROOF TAFFETA, 34 inches wide, black and navy, at \$2.00 the yard.

## New Neckwear

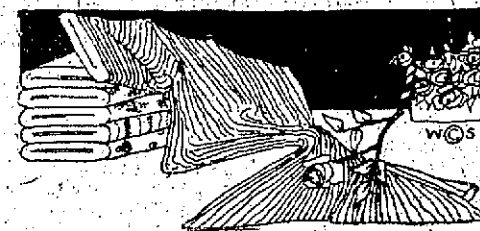


—Of special interest to women who appreciate the importance of dress accessories of exclusive, original styles.

—Georgette Crepe Collars, large deep sailor effects, hemstitched and flat lace trimmed. Prices 60c and 80c each.

—Georgette Crepe Collars, large deep sailor effects, inset with flat lace medallions and edged with lace. Prices \$1.25 to \$2.25 each.

—Georgette Crepe Collars, deep sailor effects, embroidered and hemstitched. Prices \$1.25 to \$1.75 each.



## Thousands and Thousands of Yards

—Of staple Gingham, Percales, Devonshire Cloth, Seersuckers, for Spring, 1917, are being received and placed in stock just as rapidly as possible.

—The assortment is so large—the largest this store has ever shown—that customers should have no difficulty in finding the exact pattern, color or combination of colors they desire.

—These new materials are quite inexpensive, too, as an example will show—Dress Gingham, 27 and 32 inches wide, at 15c, 18c, to 25c the yard.

**Fresh San Mano  
Assorted Chocolates  
50c Value 35c Lb.**

## Right Now is the Time for Warm Outing Flannel

—There is a certain kind of 12 1/2c a yard that is very much liked for Women's Nightgowns and Petticoats, Men's Pajamas and all sorts of Winter Underwear.

—In light, dark or medium colored plaids, stripes and checks, 27 inches wide. And by buying now, before the price advances, women will save about one-fourth what this flannel will sell for next Winter.

## Our Supply of White Dress Linen Was Secured Just in the Nick of Time.

—We received it while supplies were plentiful and prices low.

—That is the sole reason why we now have such a good assortment to sell at such moderate prices.

—36 inch Irish Linen, 65c, 75c, \$1.00 yard.

—36 inch Linen Lawns, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 yard.

—36 to 45 inch White Linen Crash at 75c, 85c to \$1.00 yard.

## Odd Buttons

—Sometimes a dozen, and often less, are marked at prices far below the original.

—There are Crochet Buttons, Bone Buttons, and novelties of many kinds.

## Connellsville's Linen Store

The Best for Quality,  
The Best for Variety and  
Assortment

—Housekeepers filling their linen chests will search in vain for better linens at their prices than the linens they will find here.

—That is an old story, but it will bear repetition at this time of replenishment, especially so in view of the increasing substitution of cotton for linen in so many places.

—But this is still the store of the quality standard, and here are two of the items women are buying today.

—All Linen Damask, 86 to 72 inches wide, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 yard.

—Damask Napkins in patterns to match the above at \$1.75 and up.

## The Three Best Arguments for Buying Quilts and Blankets Just Now

—Are (1) actual present need, (2) the practicability of supplying all future needs at our present prices, for they will undoubtedly be higher, (3) the variety and completeness of our assortment.

—You can buy a good cotton filled quilt with a silk lining cover for \$10.00, and scores of other kinds, cotton filled or wool filled, at any price up to \$10.00.

—Blankets are from \$4.00 a pair for those with about 25% of wool, up to \$12 a pair for dependable all wool kind.

## Hudson Seal Coats Reduced One-Third

—This reduction will appeal most strongly to women who are quality-wise and recognize fine, full-furred skins when they see them—who also know somewhat about the fur market and of how scarce really good furs actually are.

—These Coats are well styled and desirable in every way. We back them with our reputation as reliable furriers.

**\$ 75.00 Coats, \$ 50.00  
\$100.00 Coats, \$ 66.67  
\$125.00 Coats, \$ 83.34  
\$137.50 Coats, \$ 91.67  
\$250.00 Coats, \$166.67**

**All Other Furs One-Half & One-Third Off**

**ARCADÉ THEATRE**

Always 5c and 10c  
Management of D. S. Trimble.

**TODAY—**  
ROBERT EDESON  
—In—  
"THE CAVE MAN."

**TOMORROW—**  
FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN  
—In George Ade's—  
"THE SLIM PRINCESS."

**CHARLIE CHAPLIN**  
Seen for the first time in Connellsville  
—In—  
"THE HEART THIEF."

## Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Charles Wable died about 4:15 Tuesday afternoon after a lingering illness of several weeks during which time she had been failing fast. The funeral services will be held in the United Evangelical Church this afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in the L. O. O. F. cemetery. She is survived by her husband and two daughters.

Mrs. J. R. Shultz of Rockwood is spending several days visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz of Johnstown.

Mrs. C. F. DeHaven and Mrs. W. J. Gardner have returned home after spending several days with the latter's daughter, Mrs. M. R. Brennen of Johnstown.

Dr. C. J. Homminger returned home from Pittsburg where he attended the operations upon Mrs. Elizabeth Rush

and Mrs. Albert Zupf at the Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Pearl Shackleton is spending several days this month visiting friends and relatives at Germantown, Pa., where she formerly lived prior to the death of her husband several months ago.

Mrs. A. Bertino died at the Bertino residence on Main street on Sunday morning after a short illness of pneumonia. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at Meyersdale on Monday afternoon.

A number of friends of Miss Edna Wolfersberger gave a surprise party in her honor one day last week which was enjoyed by all present.

The Rochester & Pittsburg Coal and Iron Company has acquired the property of the Saltsburg Coal Mining Company, Saltsburg, for approximately \$180,000.

## SOISSON THEATRE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2.

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Special Feature

## "The Eagle's Wings"

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With the Universal Favorites

HEHBERT RAWLINSON

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In the Leading Roles.

The dominant purpose of the play is to show to what extent Uncle Sam may depend upon the captains of industry in the event of a sudden and unexpected war.

—PRICES—

Adults, 15c.

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